

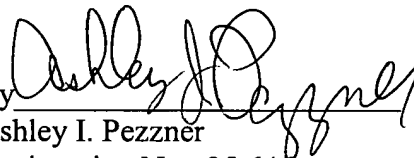
**REMARKS**

The applicant has rewritten the claims into proper U.S. form and deleted the multiple dependencies. Support for newly added claims 13 through 15 can be found in the specification at page 3.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 03-2775, under Order No. 12810-00017-US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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